

July 18, 2000

**NOTICE EXTENDING DEADLINE TO FILE PETITIONS
FOR REVIEW AND/OR REQUESTS FOR APPROVAL,
AND INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT**

(Friday, August 4, 2000)

**NOTICE OF HEARING FOR ORAL ARGUMENT OF THE PARTIES ON
PETITIONS FOR REVIEW AND/OR REQUESTS FOR APPROVAL**

(Thursday, August 17, 2000, at 9:00 a.m.)

RE: In the Matter of the Petition for Arbitration of an Interconnection Agreement
Between Sprint Communications Company L.P. and U S WEST
Communications, Inc.; Docket No. UT-003006

TO ALL PARTIES:

The Arbitrators' Report and Decision served July 5, 2000, stated post-arbitration filing deadlines. The parties jointly request an extension of time within which to file petitions for review and/or requests for approval, and file an interconnection agreement. The Commission finds that good cause exists to extend the present due date from July 19, 2000, to **Friday, August 4, 2000**.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the hearing for oral argument of the parties on petitions for review and requests for approval is scheduled on **Thursday, August 17, 2000, at 9:00 a.m.**, in the Commission's hearing room, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington.

The Commission may adopt, modify, or reject all or part of the Arbitrators' Report.

Sincerely,

LAWRENCE J. BERG
Arbitrator

DENNIS J. MOSS
Arbitrator